

Meeting community needs in Wisconsin. More than **27,000** people of all ages and backgrounds are helping to solve problems and strengthen communities through **79** national service projects across Wisconsin. Serving with national and community nonprofit organizations, faith-based groups, schools, and local agencies, these citizens tutor and mentor children, coordinate after-school programs, build homes, conduct neighborhood patrols, organize local homeland security efforts, respond to disasters, and recruit and manage volunteers. This year, the Corporation for National and Community Service will provide more than **\$9,200,000** to support Wisconsin communities through three major programs:



Senior Corps: More than **14,000** seniors in Wisconsin contribute their time and talents in one of three programs: **Foster Grandparents**, who serve one-on-one with more than **5,000** young people who have special needs; **Senior Companions**, who help more than **900** other seniors live independently in their homes; and **RSVP** volunteers, who work with more than **4,600** local groups to meet a wide range of community needs, including safety patrols with local police departments, environmental projects, tutoring and mentoring, and responding to natural disasters.



AmeriCorps: This year, more than **700 individuals** are serving in Wisconsin communities as AmeriCorps members. In return, the members receive an education award of up to \$4,725 to help pay for college or pay back student loans. To date, more than **3,900** Wisconsin residents have qualified for education awards totaling more than **\$17,000,000**. Two-thirds of AmeriCorps grants are made by the Wisconsin National and Community Service Board. National nonprofits, such as Habitat for Humanity and the National Association of Service & Conservation Corps, make other assignments. Other members serve in AmeriCorps*VISTA, and AmeriCorps*NCCC (National Civilian Community Corps).



Learn and Serve America: Learn and Serve America provides schools, colleges, and community organizations with grants for service-learning. These grants help make it possible for more than **13,000** Wisconsin students to meet community needs while improving their civic and academic skills and learning the habits of good citizenship.

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<u>Senior Corps</u>	<u>Projects</u>	<u>Participants</u>	<u>Funding</u>
RSVP	17	12,225	\$1,484,497
RSVP Homeland Security	2	1,341	\$270,228
Foster Grandparent Program	3	478	\$1,755,091
Senior Companion Program	3	196	\$588,519
Senior Corps Total	25	14,240	\$4,098,335

<u>AmeriCorps</u>	<u>Program Sites</u>	<u>Members</u> ¹	<u>Funding</u> ²
AmeriCorps*State	12	448	\$3,213,393
AmeriCorps*National	22	189	\$323,873
AmeriCorps*VISTA	16	67	\$951,400
AmeriCorps*NCCC ³	N/A	N/A	N/A
AmeriCorps Total	50	704	\$4,488,666

<u>Learn and Serve America</u>	<u>Grantees</u>	<u>Subgrantees</u>	<u>Participants</u>	<u>Funding</u>
School-based programs	3	91	13,868	\$395,863
Higher Education programs ⁴	0	2	48	\$0
Learn and Serve America Total	3	93	13,916	\$395,863

<u>Special Volunteer Programs</u>	<u>Projects</u>	<u>Volunteers</u>	<u>Funding</u>
Homeland Security	1	1,300	\$225,000

Total National Service Resources	79	93	30,160	\$9,207,864
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¹ This figure represents the number of enrolled members, as of March 15th, 2003. Many AmeriCorps programs have additional slots which may be filled during the 2002-2003 program year.

² This figure does not include the education award that each AmeriCorps member receives after completing a term of service. To date, more than **3,900** Wisconsin residents have qualified for education awards totaling more than **\$17,000,000**.

³ Wisconsin is served by the AmeriCorps*NCCC campus located in Denver, Colorado. In the past year, AmeriCorps*NCCC teams have served on a project in Almond, Ferryville, Milwaukee, Mukwonago, and Osceola.

⁴ These programs are subgrantees of national organizations based in another state. State-by-state funding breakdowns are not available at this time, so funding is accrued to that program's home state.



Senior Corps in Wisconsin

Primary City or Region	Sponsor Organization Program Name <i>(If different)</i>	Number of Volunteers	Program Type
Appleton	Volunteer Center East Central Wisconsin- Pol RSVP Outagamie County	350	RSVP
Ashland	Northwest Community Services Agency Northwest RSVP	509	RSVP
Beloit	RSVP Rock County Rock/Winnebago RSVP	924	RSVP
Dodgeville	SW Wisconsin Community Action, Inc. Southwest Wisconsin FGP	38	Foster Grandparents
Green Bay	Volunteer Center Brown County Brown County (WI) RSVP	375	RSVP
Independence	Western Dairyland EOC Western Dairyland RSVP	702	RSVP
Janesville	Senior Services of Rock County Rock County SCP	48	Senior Companions
Kenosha	Kenosha Area Family and Aging Services Kenosha County RSVP	400	RSVP
Lac Du Flambeau	Great Lakes Inter-Tribal Council Glitch Tribal FGP	95	Foster Grandparents
Lac Du Flambeau	Great Lakes Inter-Tribal Council Glitch Tribal SCP	69	Senior Companions
LaCrosse	Bethany Lutheran Homes, Inc. Coulee Region RSVP	1,143	RSVP
Madison	WI Department of Health/Family Services Bureau of Aging Wisconsin Statewide FGP	345	Foster Grandparents
Madison	RSVP of Dane County, Inc.	1,840	RSVP
Manitowoc	Family Services Lakeshore, Inc. RSVP Manitowoc County	910	RSVP
Milwaukee	Interfaith Older Adult Pgms Milwaukee RSVP	452	RSVP
Milwaukee	Social Dev. Commission Milwaukee SCP	79	Senior Companions
Neenah	ADVOCAP	633	RSVP Homeland Security
Oshkosh	ADVOCAP	633	RSVP
Racine	Volunteer Center of Racine	708	RSVP
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Rhineland	Catholic Charities Bureau (WI/MN) Northeastern WI RSVP	1,187	RSVP



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Stevens Point	Portage County Department on Aging Portage County RSVP	738	RSVP
Superior	Catholic Charities Bureau (WI/MN) Superior/Douglas RSVP	250	RSVP
Waukesha	RSVP of Waukesha County, Inc. Waukesha County RSVP	755	RSVP
Whitewater	American Red Cross SE Wisconsin Tri-County Chapter Walworth County RSVP	349	RSVP
Total Number of National Senior Service Corps Volunteers		14,240	



AmeriCorps in Wisconsin

Primary City or Region	Sponsor Organization Program Name <i>(if different)</i>	Number of Enrolled Members	Program Type
Statewide	Marshfield - Project Forward AmeriCorps Project Forward AmeriCorps	17	AmeriCorps*State
Statewide	Wisconsin Association for Runaway Services Direct Service Outreach to Runaways	23	AmeriCorps*State
Statewide	Wisconsin Department of Administration Wisconsin Fresh Start	27	AmeriCorps*State
Statewide	Wisconsin Department of Public Instruction America Reads/Wisconsin Reads	24	AmeriCorps*State
Statewide	Department of Public Instruction	24	AmeriCorps*VISTA
Bayfield	Student Conservation Association ¹ Apostle Islands National Lakeshore	0	AmeriCorps*National
Bayfield	Student Conservation Association ¹ Ford-Apostle Islands National Lakeshore	0	AmeriCorps*National
Bayfield	Red Cliff Band of Lake Superior Chippewas	1	AmeriCorps*VISTA
Berlin	ADVOCAP	3	AmeriCorps*VISTA
DePere	AmeriCorps Bonner Leaders Program St. Norberts	11	AmeriCorps*National
East Troy	Student Conservation Association ¹ Camp Edwards YMCA	0	AmeriCorps*National
Eau Claire	Jumpstart for Young Children, Inc. Jumpstart Eau Claire	37	AmeriCorps*State
Fountain City	Minnesota Literacy Council	1	AmeriCorps*VISTA
Keshena	Northwoods NiiJii Enterprise Community, Inc.	1	AmeriCorps*VISTA
La Crosse	Workforce Connections Y.E.S. AmeriCorps	41	AmeriCorps*State
Madison	National Association of Service & Conservation Corps Wisconsin Conservation Corps	30	AmeriCorps*National
Madison	Operation Fresh Start AmeriCorps Program	37	AmeriCorps*State
Madison	Community Action Coalition for S. Central Wisconsin	5	AmeriCorps*VISTA
Madison	Habitat for Humanity of Dane County ReStore	1	AmeriCorps*VISTA
Madison	Interfaith Hospitality Network	1	AmeriCorps*VISTA
Madison	United Way of Dane County	21	AmeriCorps*VISTA
Marinette	Northpointe Behavioral Healthcare System	2	AmeriCorps*VISTA
Milwaukee	16th Street Health Center Community Health Corps	4	AmeriCorps*National
Milwaukee	Catholic Network of Volunteer Service Lutheran Vol. Corps - Hope House of Milwaukee	1	AmeriCorps*National
Milwaukee	Catholic Network of Volunteer Service Central City Teaching Partnership	3	AmeriCorps*National



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Milwaukee	Catholic Network of Volunteer Service Lutheran Vol. Corps - Project RETURN	1	AmeriCorps*National
Milwaukee	Catholic Network of Volunteer Service Lutheran Vol. Corps - Shalom High School	1	AmeriCorps*National
Milwaukee	Catholic Network of Volunteer Service CFVC - Midwest - Messmer High School	1	AmeriCorps*National
Milwaukee	Catholic Network of Volunteer Service Lutheran Vol. Corps - Urban Ecology Center	1	AmeriCorps*National
Milwaukee	Catholic Network of Volunteer Service CFVC - Midwest - Messmer Preparatory School	1	AmeriCorps*National
Milwaukee	Catholic Network of Volunteer Service Lutheran Vol. Corps - La Paz Learning Center	1	AmeriCorps*National
Milwaukee	Catholic Network of Volunteer Service CFVC - Midwest - St Ben's Clinic and Meal	1	AmeriCorps*National
Milwaukee	Marquette University Education Award Program	74	AmeriCorps*National
Milwaukee	Milwaukee Habitat for Humanity Milwaukee Habitat*AmeriCorps	4	AmeriCorps*National
Milwaukee	Mount Mary/Alverno Colleges Urban Fellows Education Program	37	AmeriCorps*National
Milwaukee	Student Conservation Association ¹ Urban Ecology Center	0	AmeriCorps*National
Milwaukee	Milwaukee Teacher Education Center Linking School & Community thr. Service Learning	151	AmeriCorps*State
Milwaukee	Milwaukee Teacher Education Center Learning By Serving Our Community	143	AmeriCorps*State
Milwaukee	Public Allies Milwaukee	22	AmeriCorps*State
Milwaukee	YMCA of Metro Milwaukee YMCA AmeriCorps	17	AmeriCorps*State
Milwaukee	Boys and Girls Clubs of Greater Milwaukee	1	AmeriCorps*VISTA
Milwaukee	Community Relations Social Development Commission Entrepreneur Corps	1	AmeriCorps*VISTA
Milwaukee	Family Crisis Center	1	AmeriCorps*VISTA
Milwaukee	United Neighborhood Centers of Milwaukee PowerUP	1	AmeriCorps*VISTA
Odanah	Bad River Bank of Lake Superior Chippewa	1	AmeriCorps*VISTA
Oshkosh	University of Wisconsin-Oshkosh AmeriCorps One On One Program	29	AmeriCorps*State
Pickerel	Northwoods NiiJii Enterprise Sokaogon Chippewa	2	AmeriCorps*VISTA
Superior	Boys and Girls Club of Superior	1	AmeriCorps*National



AmeriCorps in Wisconsin

Primary City or Region	Sponsor Organization Program Name <i>(if different)</i>	Number of Enrolled Members	Program Type
Trego	Student Conservation Association ¹ Saint Croix National Scenic Riverway	0	AmeriCorps*National
Waukesha	La Casa de Esperanza PROYECTO EDUCAR	17	AmeriCorps*National
Wausau	North Central Community Action Program AmeriCorps Team - Greater Wausau Area	31	AmeriCorps*State
Total Number of Enrolled AmeriCorps Members		855	

This figure represents the number of enrolled members, as of March, 2003. Many AmeriCorps programs have additional slots which may be filled during 2003.

¹ This program has not yet enrolled AmeriCorps members for the 2002-2003 program year.



Learn and Serve America in Wisconsin

Primary City or Region	Sponsor Organization Program Name <i>(if different)</i>	Students	In-State Subgrantees ¹	Program Type
Madison	Wisconsin Department of Public Instruction ² Digital Divide (Carryover)	0		School-based
Madison	Wisconsin Department of Public Instruction Learn and Serve Wisconsin	13,568	91	School-based
Milwaukee	Temple U. Ctr for Intergenerational Learning-SHINE Milwaukee Area Technical College	23	1	Higher Education
Milwaukee	Temple U. Ctr for Intergenerational Learning-SHINE University of Wisconsin - Milwaukee	25	1	Higher Education
Oneida	Oneida Indian Nation of Wisconsin	300		School-based
Total Number of Learn and Serve Participants		13,916	93	

¹ If the subgrantees of a parent program are listed on this page, they are not also counted in that parent program's subgrant column. Also, subgrantees show a "1" in this column, which refers to themselves.

² This is the headquarters of a multi-site program. Participants are listed with the city and state where they serve.



Through the **President's Student Service Challenge**, students in kindergarten through college receive presidential recognition for their outstanding community service. Students who serve 100 hours or more are eligible for a **President's Student Service Award**. Since 1999, more than 940 Wisconsin students have received this award. In the **President's Student Service Scholarship** program, two students from each high school may receive a \$1,000 college scholarship for outstanding service to the community. Since 1997, more than 864 Wisconsin students have received these scholarships.



The **National Service-Learning Leader Schools** program recognizes middle and high schools for their excellence in service-learning. River Bluff Middle School in Stoughton, Northland Secondary School in

Superior, Malcolm Shabazz City High School in Madison, and Menasha High School have been recognized as Leader Schools.

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Learn and Serve America Higher Education is a national program. The number of higher education programs in each state varies. Please see www.learnandserve.org/about/higher_ed/index.html for the program(s) in your region or contact Learn and Serve America program officer **Brad Lewis** at 202-606-5000 x113 or blewis@cns.gov.

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